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Applicant : Michael D. West, *et al.*
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using nuclear transfer
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Response to Final Office Action

This is in response to the Final Office Action dated February 24, 2010. Applicant also submits concurrently herewith a Petition for a three-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) and the fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(2). With the extension, the reply is due on or before August 24, 2010. Thus, this Response is timely filed.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.